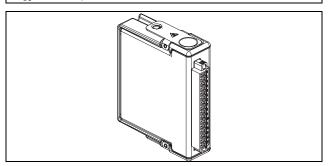
# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

# NI 9485

#### 8-Channel Solid-State Relay (SSR) Digital Output Module

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These operating instructions describe how to use the National Instruments 9485. For information about installing, configuring, and programming the system, refer to the system documentation. Visitni.com/info and enter the info code rdsoftwareversion to determine which software you need for the modules you are using.



**Note** The safety guidelines and specifications in this document are specific to the NI 9485. The other components in the system might not meet the same safety ratings and specifications. Refer to the documentation for each component in the system to determine the safety ratings and specifications for the entire system.

## **Safety Guidelines**

Operate the NI 9485 only as described in these operating instructions.



**Hot Surface** This icon denotes that the component may be hot. Touching this component may result in bodily injury.

### Safety Guidelines for Hazardous Voltages

If hazardous voltages are connected to the module, take the following precautions. A hazardous voltage is a voltage greater than  $42.4~V_{pk}$  or 60~VDC to earth ground.



**Caution** Ensure that hazardous voltage wiring is performed only by qualified personnel adhering to local electrical standards.



**Caution** Do *not* mix hazardous voltage circuits and human-accessible circuits on the same module.



**Caution** When module terminals are hazardous voltage LIVE (>42.4 $V_{pk}$ /60 VDC), you must ensure that devices and circuits connected to the module are properly insulated from human contact. You must use the NI 9939 connector backshell kit to ensure that the terminals are *not* accessible.

Figure 1 shows the NI 9939 connector backshell.

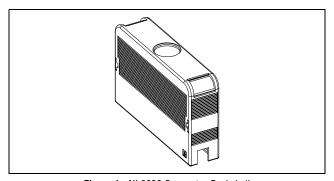


Figure 1. NI 9939 Connector Backshell

# Safety Guidelines for Hazardous Locations

The NI 9485 is suitable for use in Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, D, T4 hazardous locations; Class I, Zone 2, AEx nA II T4 and Ex nA II T4 hazardous locations; and nonhazardous locations only. Follow these guidelines if you are installing the NI 9485 in a potentially explosive environment. Not following these guidelines may result in serious injury or death.



**Caution** Do *not* disconnect I/O-side wires or connectors unless power has been switched off or the area is known to be nonhazardous.



**Caution** Do *not* remove modules unless power has been switched off or the area is known to be nonhazardous.



**Caution** Substitution of components may impair suitability for Class I, Division 2.



**Caution** For Zone 2 applications, install the system in an enclosure rated to at least IP 54 as defined by IEC 60529 and EN 60529.



**Caution** For Zone 2 applications, install a protection device across the positive and negative terminals of the external power supply (or supplies). The device must prevent the external power supply from exceeding 80 V if there is a transient overvoltage condition.

#### Special Conditions for Hazardous Locations Use in Europe

This equipment has been evaluated as EEx nA II T4 equipment under DEMKO Certificate No. 03 ATEX 0324020X. The equipment is marked (x) II 3G and is suitable for use in Zone 2 hazardous locations.

# Wiring the NI 9485

The NI 9485 has a 16-terminal, detachable screw-terminal connector that provides connections for eight solid-state relay channels. Each channel has two interchangeable terminals, CHa and CHb. Refer to Table 1 for the terminal assignments for each channel.

Table 1. Terminal Assignments

Module	Terminal	Signal
	0	CH0a
	1	CH0b
	2	CH1a
	3	CH1b
	4	CH2a
2 3 4 4 5 5 6 6 7 7 8 8 9 9 10 10 11 12 12 11 13 14 15 15	5	CH2b
	6	СН3а
	7	CH3b
	8	CH4a
	9	CH4b
	10	CH5a
	11	CH5b
	12	СН6а
	13	CH6b
	14	СН7а
	15	СН7ь

## **Wiring for High-Vibration Applications**

If an application is subject to high vibration, National Instruments recommends that you either use ferrules to terminate wires to the detachable screw-terminal connector or use the NI 9939 backshell kit to protect the connections. Refer to Figure 2 for an illustration.

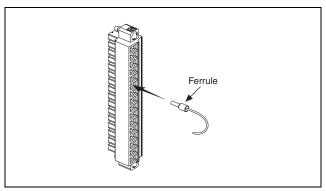


Figure 2. 16-Pin Detachable Screw Terminal with Ferrule

# **Connecting Loads to the NI 9485**

You can connect loads to the NI 9485. Connect the load to one of the leads of the power source. Connect either the CHa or the CHb terminal to the load and the other terminal to the other lead of the AC or DC power source. Figure 3 shows a possible configuration where the load is connected to the CHb terminal and the DC or AC power source.

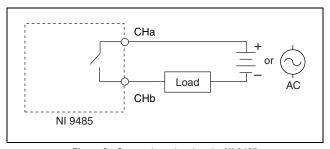


Figure 3. Connecting a Load to the NI 9485

When you write an ON command to a channel, the SSR is closed and the terminal that is connected to the load allows current to flow or allows voltage to be applied to the load. When you write an OFF command to a channel, the switch opens, disconnecting the circuit so no current flows and no voltage is applied to the load.

#### **Protecting Inductive Loads**

When inductive loads are connected to the NI 9485 relay outputs, a large counter-electromotive force may occur at switching time because of the energy stored in the inductive load. These flyback voltages can damage the relay outputs and/or the external power supply.

Limit flyback voltages at your inductive load by installing one of the following:

- For DC loads—Install a flyback diode within 18 in. of the load.
- For AC loads—Install a metal oxide varistor (MOV) rated for 30 V<sub>rms</sub> or slightly higher.

Figures 4 and 5 show examples of using an external flyback diode to protect DC inductive loads and an MOV to protect AC inductive loads, respectively.

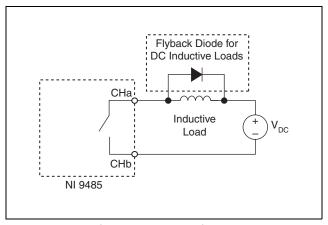


Figure 4. Contact Protection for DC Inductive Loads

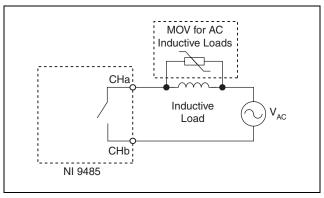


Figure 5. Contact Protection for AC Inductive Loads

# Sleep Mode

This module supports a low-power sleep mode. Support for sleep mode at the system level depends on the chassis that the module is plugged into. Refer to the chassis documentation for information about support for sleep mode. You can enable sleep mode in software. Refer to the driver software documentation for more information.

Typically, when a system is in sleep mode, you cannot communicate with the modules. In sleep mode, the SSRs open to prevent current from flowing through the load. Consequently, the system consumes minimal power and may dissipate less heat than it does in normal mode. Refer to the *Specifications* section for more information about power consumption and thermal dissipation.

# **Specifications**

The following specifications are typical for the range -40 to  $70\,^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$  unless otherwise noted.

#### **Output Characteristics**

Number of channels	.8 digital output channels
Relay type	. Normally open solid-state
	relay (SSR)
Switching voltage	.60 VDC max, 30 V <sub>rms</sub> max

Switching	current,	per	channel1
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All channels
Up to four channels1.2 A max
Switching rate (90% duty cycle) <sup>1</sup> 1 operation per second
Relay open time0.5 ms typ
Relay close time9.0 ms typ
On resistance
Off state leakage30 µA typ
MTBF2,172,740 hours at 25 °C;

Bellcore Issue 6, Method 1, Case 3, Limited Part Stress Method



**Note** Contact NI for Bellcore MTBF specifications at other temperatures or for MIL-HDBK-217F specifications.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For additional specifications related to faster switching rates and/or higher currents at lower temperatures, go to ni.com/info and enter the info code rd9485specs.

### **Power Requirements**

#### **Physical Characteristics**

If you need to clean the module, wipe it with a dry towel.

#### Safety

#### Safety Voltages

Connect only voltages that are within these limits.

Channel a-to-Channel b ...... 60 VDC max, 30  $V_{rms} \; max$ 

Isolation

Channel-to-channel

Continuous ......60 VDC

Channel-to-earth ground

Continuous .......250 V<sub>rms</sub>,

Measurement Category II

Withstand ......2,300  $V_{rms}$ , verified by a 5 s

dielectric withstand test

Measurement Category II is for measurements performed on circuits directly connected to the electrical distribution system. This category refers to local-level electrical distribution, such as that provided by a standard wall outlet (for example, 115 V for U.S. or 230 V for Europe). Do *not* connect to signals or use for measurements within Measurement Categories III or IV.

#### Safety Standards

The NI 9485 is designed to meet the requirements of the following standards of safety for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use:

- IEC 61010-1, EN-61010-1
- UL 61010-1, CSA 61010-1



**Note** For UL and other safety certifications, refer to the product label or visit ni.com/certification, search by module number or product line, and click the appropriate link in the Certification column.

#### **Hazardous Locations**

U.S. (UL)	Class I, Division 2,
	Groups A, B, C, D, T4;
	Class I, Zone 2,
	AEx nA II T4
Canada (C-UL)	Class I, Division 2,
	Groups A, B, C, D, T4;
	Class I, Zone 2,
	Ex nA II T4
Europe (DEMKO)	EEx nA II T4

#### **Environmental**

Operating temperature

National Instruments C Series modules are intended for indoor use only but may be used outdoors if installed in a suitable enclosure. Refer to the installation instructions for the chassis you are using for more information about meeting these specifications.

(IEC 60068-2-1, IEC 60068-2-2)	−40 to 70 °C
Storage temperature (IEC 60068-2-1, IEC 60068-2-2)	-40 to 85 °C
Ingress protection	IP 40
Operating humidity (IEC 60068-2-56)	10 to 90% RH, noncondensing
Storage humidity (IEC 60068-2-56)	5 to 95% RH, noncondensing
Maximum altitude	2,000 m
Pollution Degree (IEC 60664)	.2

#### **Shock and Vibration**

To meet these specifications, you must panel mount the system and either use ferrules to terminate wires to the detachable screw-terminal connector or use the NI 9939 backshell kit to protect the connections.

#### Operating vibration

Random (IEC 60068-2-34)....... 5 g<sub>rms</sub>, 10 to 500 Hz Sinusoidal (IEC 60068-2-6)...... 5 g, 10 to 500 Hz

Operating shock

## **Electromagnetic Compatibility**

This product is designed to meet the requirements of the following standards of EMC for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use:

- EN 61326 EMC requirements; Industrial Immunity
- EN 55011 Emissions; Group 1, Class A
- CE, C-Tick, ICES, and FCC Part 15 Emissions; Class A



**Note** For EMC compliance, operate this device according to product documentation.

#### **CE Compliance**

This product meets the essential requirements of applicable European Directives, as amended for CE marking, as follows:

- 73/23/EEC; Low-Voltage Directive (safety)
- 89/336/EEC; Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive (EMC)



**Note** Refer to the Declaration of Conformity (DoC) for this product for any additional regulatory compliance information. To obtain the DoC for this product, visit ni.com/certification, search by module number or product line, and click the appropriate link in the Certification column.

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